



JOIN our Community of Diocesan Development Directors,
Stewardship Officers and Catholic Foundation Executives



WHO IS ICSC?

The International Catholic Stewardship Council (ICSC) is a professional member-organization recognized internationally as a source of education, networking, and information to advance the ministry of Christian stewardship as a way of life in the Roman Catholic Church, and to promote the cause of Catholic philanthropy in dioceses and parishes worldwide.

ICSC serves under the auspices of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops which assigns a Bishop-moderator to oversee ICSC’s activities and serve as a liaison between the USCCB and ICSC.

Founded in 1962, ICSC’s members consists of dioceses and archdioceses, Catholic foundations, parish communities, Catholic organizations, and professional firms serving the Catholic community.



BENEFITS THAT HELP YOU INSPIRE
YOUR PARISHES

- ICSC provides ongoing assistance to help you strengthen stewardship in your parishes, including:
- Conference discounts for parishes through your diocesan or Foundation membership
 - Parish stewardship resources, models and samples
 - Best practices for promoting stewardship in the parishes
 - Assistance in hosting diocesan Stewardship Days
 - Monthly parish stewardship ebulletins offering weekly reflections, prayers, bulletin inserts and much more
 - Opportunities to exchange ideas, network and share best practices in parish stewardship
 - Clergy aids for preaching stewardship

DIOCESAN/FOUNDATION MEMBERSHIP FORM (Tear off and return)

Your membership rate is included in the accompanying letter of invitation.

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(Make checks payable to ICSC)

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Please return completed form with payment to: ICSC, P.O. Box 775331, Chicago, IL 60677-5331

ICSC ANNUAL CONFERENCES

Coming together as Catholic Professionals

The annual ICSC conference is a special time of grace. It is a time where you not only learn more about Christian stewardship, but are inspired and spiritually nourished by the gathering, by sharing with one another and by celebrating the Eucharist as the high point of each day.

Engaging and knowledgeable speakers

Nearly 100 plenary speakers and session presenters give of themselves and share their experiences of stewardship and Catholic philanthropy at the annual conference. ICSC conferences always showcase insightful and engaging speakers as well as interesting and timely topics.

Being inspired and newly energized

Conference participants invariably speak of experiencing a renewed energy when they leave ICSC conferences. They go back to their dioceses and foundation offices and many members have shared that putting into practice what they've learned and experienced has borne much fruit.



FOCUS ON CATHOLIC FOUNDATIONS

The ICSC Committee on Catholic Foundations is dedicated to bringing experience, expertise and collegiality to Catholic Foundations. Two major benefits include the ICSC Forum for Catholic Foundations and the monthly *Coffee Talks*.

Monthly Coffee Talks

Coffee Talk is a monthly one-hour video-conference gathering designed for networking among Catholic foundation officers and interested diocesan professionals. Each month participants gather in a Zoom meeting format to learn from each other by exchanging thoughts and ideas after listening to a short presentation on the topic of the month.



ICSC Forum for Catholic Foundations

On the weekend before the annual ICSC conference takes place, the ICSC Committee on Catholic Foundations hosts a Forum that offers networking and interactive discussions on the latest trends and current issues facing Catholic foundations. Facilitated by experts in various foundation-related fields, the Forum for Catholic Foundations is designed for foundation directors, officers, staff, foundation board members and interested diocesan professionals.



ICSC Regional Meetings

Members have an opportunity to network digitally and gather regionally with colleagues from nearby dioceses and archdioceses.



OSV-ICSC Diocesan Development Webinars

With the generous partnership of Our Sunday Visitor (OSV), ICSC brings diocesan directors monthly webinars on timely topics.



Strategic Partner and Exhibitor Networking

ICSC gives members an opportunity to connect with those whose ministries and professional services are designed to assist dioceses and Catholic foundations.

MORE BENEFITS OF ICSC MEMBERSHIP FOR DIOCESES AND CATHOLIC FOUNDATIONS

ICSC provides numerous professional development avenues for diocesan and foundation staffs through multiple forms of digital and in-person venues and platforms

- Discounts for annual conference
- Website resources
- Be recognized through ICSC media awards
- Year-round networking with development and stewardship professionals
- Access to speakers for diocesan conferences and workshops
- Expert advice for introducing Christian stewardship
- Membership directory
- Access to past conference presentations
- Spanish-language stewardship resources
- Opportunity to earn CFRE credits



BE PART OF ICSC'S MISSIONARY OUTREACH

Your membership supports a global ICSC missionary outreach. ICSC responds to requests for stewardship formation and fundraising expertise all over the world.